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Serial No. To Be Assigned)
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For Liquid Crystal Display Device)
Having Controlled Gap Between)
Substrates)

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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Pursuant to the obligation under 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and in conformance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97-1.99, Applicants hereby submit reference A1 listed on the attached form PTO-1449 for consideration by the Examiner. A copy of the reference is enclosed herewith.

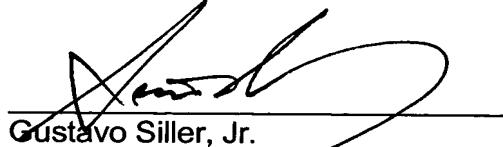
Unexamined Japanese Patent Application Publication No. 2002-268079 discloses a wiring pattern for 1 chip in a liquid crystal display device.

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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner review the entire disclosure of this document and make it of record.

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	A1	Unexamined Japanese Patent Application Publication No. 2002-268079	09/18/2002	Japan		X	

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